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- 1. The Polish Trade Mission to Brazil was in Sao Paulo between 18 and 21 December January 1949 studying the industries of the city and attempting to determine its requirements in relation to Polish export trade. A trade agreement between Brazil and Poland will probably be signed within a few weeks. The principal provision of the agreement is expected to be that Poland will export to Brazil one-third as much material astimum Brazil, the difference to be covered in cash. Poland's principal exports will be cement, porcelain, and chemicals.
- 2. The Polish import-export firms of Polbraz in Sao Paulo and Korimpex in Rio de Janeiro will participate in the negotiations and are expected to carry out the details of the agreement.
- 3. Dr. Jan Dobrowolski of Curitiba is reported to be interested in importing tanning chemicals, which are in great demand in Brazil.*

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Comment. The raw materials for the tanning chemicals are reliably reported to be shipped from USSR to Poland, and then processed in Poland for export.

